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| ☐ The drawings filed on are acceptable.   |
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| received in Application No. (Series Code/Serial Number)   |
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Art Unit: 2187

#### **DETAILED ACTION**

- 1. This is a response to the amendment, filed 1/16/02.
- 2. Claims 57-59 have been canceled. Claims 38-56,60-66 remain pending.
- 3. Applicant has canceled previously rejected claims 57-60. All remaining claims were previously allowed.

### Allowable Subject Matter

4. Claims 38-56,60-66 are allowed for the reasons stated in the previous office action.

#### Conclusion

- 5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Than Nguyen whose telephone number is (703) 305-3866. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. EST.
- 6. Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application should be directed to the Group receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 305-9600.
- 7. The fax phone number for Art Unit 2187 is 703-308-9051 or 703-308-9052.

Than Nguyen

**Primary Patent Examiner** 

March 4, 2002



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| 09/757,439      | 01/10/2001  | Richard Belgard      | RAB 2001-1          | 1334             |

TITLE OF INVENTION: SPECULATIVE ADDRESS TRANSLATION FOR PROCESSOR USING SEGMENTATION AND OPTIONAL PAGING

| TOTAL CLAIMS | APPLN. TYPE    | SMALL ENTITY | ISSUE FEE | PUBLICATION FEE | TOTAL FEE(S) DUE | DATE DUE   |
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